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CHARACTER OF POPULATION

And Other Interesting Statistics of Collingsworth County

A bulletin showing the composition and characteristics of the population of Collingsworth county has just been issued by the Federal Census department at Washington. The data contained in the report were gathered at the thirteenth sensus and cover the year 1910. The more important data pertaining to the population of this county are as follows: Total population 5224, rural 5224, white 5221, negro 3, male 2793, female 2431, male of voting age 1229, illiterates 10 years old and over 78, number of dwellings 995, number of families 996.

The total population of Texas is 3,896,542 and 76 per cent live in the rural districts while 24 per cent is urban. We have 3,-204,848 white persons, 690,049 702 Indians, 595 Chinese, 340 Japs, 6 Filipinos and 2 Hindus. Our females number 1,878,916 and males 2,017,626. The total number of males of voting age is 1,003.357 and we have 282,904 illiterates. Any person over ten years of age that cannot write, regardless of their ability to read, is considered illiterate. We have 779,177 dwellings and 798,426 families in the State. The average size of a Texas family is 4.9.

There are 1989 children in Collingsworth county between the age of 6 and 20 years and 70 per cent of them attend school. The State's average attendance is 58 per cent. Other data pertaining to the population of this county will be furnished later by the Census Department and will appear in this paper from time to time.

ADDING TO TRADE AREA

Placing Us in Closer Touch With the Heart Throbs of Buck Creek

The projecting of the new rural mail route out of Wellington into that immense farming community, beyond Buck Creek will bring a very prosperous class of farm trade here that has hitherto been going to other towns. The Wellington Telephone Co. is going to build a rural line through the heart of this community and add to the mail delivery the convenience of telephone service for every body that needs it. Work will commence on the line within a week or two.

Flowers for Mother's Day

The second Sunday in May has in recent years had the distinction of being "Mother's Day." Services in honor of the mother, and in recognition of her faithfulness, gentleness and devotion to the home, are held in many of the churches and in most of the Sunday schools. The white carnation has been selected as the flower to be worn in the belt or on the coat lapel on "Mother's Day." No flower of the garden or field could be a happier choice than this to be worn as mother's own flower. Pure as the drifted snow, spicy and fragrant, and possessing a lasting quality beyond that of the lilly or rose, and white carnation stands for all that mother is to the family and the race.

We now have on display at our store, about one hundred and fifty of these beautiful flowers, and we suggest that you come in at once and have us save one or two for you, for the supply will be limited.

The Famous.

THE HOME TALENT PLAY

"A Regular Flirt" Proved A Splendid Cast well Rendered

The play "A Regular Flirt," given at the Electric Theatre Tuesday night, by home talent. under the auspices of the Literary and Civic Club, was indeed a grand success from every stand point. The attendance was very large and each one present went away declaring the entertainment given was one of the best of its kind ever rendered in our city.

No pains had been spared by those having the matter in charge to make the occasion a success and each character rendered his or her part well, and are each receiving equally the high commendation due them by all in attendance.

We are informed that the total gate receipts for the evening ammounted to about $68.00

Marshal Wants Cleaner Town

City Marshal S. N. Bond says that the city has laws governing the sanitary condition of our city and that he intends to see that said laws are enforced to the latter. He is talking in the interest of good health, and it is the duty of every citizen in this town to join him in his efforts by cleaning up, and to report to him any violations of the sanitary laws.

School Closes at Aberdeen

Mrs. F. L. Rozar, who has been the splendid teacher in the Aberdeen school for the past two terms, was in the city one day this week, and stated that the school there closed last Friday. Mrs. Rozar left Wednesday for her home at Childress.

ANENT OUR NEW SCHOOL

A Method Suggest to Raise the Amount to Twenty Thousand Dollars

That the $12,000 school bonds which the voters of this Independent School District have voted is not sufficient to build a building such as is really needed, or will be needed in the next few years, most every patron of the school will agree, and several are interested sufficient to try to figure out some plan whereby there could be sufficient funds raised with which to make the building what is needed and what it should be.

It has been suggested that the present taxable values in the district amount to $664,000, and that instead of raising the taxable values high enough to vote more bonds in a year or two, that it would be better that each property owner donate now, one and one-half per cent of his present property rendition, which if all would do, would raise a sum of about $9,960, which would give us with the bonds voted about $20,000 the amount really needed to build a suitable building.

This is a very important matter, and we would be glad to have the views of any of our tax payers who are interested along this line.

More New Autos

Among those buying new automobiles recently are Messrs K. T. Richardson, one of our accommodating livery men, and W. J. Seale, one of the pioneer and best citizens of the county who resides on the north side of the river. They purchased Fords from W. B. Kirby, the local agent.

CLASS RECITAL LAST EVENING

Two Hours of Entertainment by Expression Students

A large audience enjoyed the class recital at the Lotus Theatre Thursday evening under the supervision of Miss Bert Carter, our efficient teacher in expression.

This ends the second year of Miss Carter's work in this city, and the tact and ability shown by each member of the class in rendering their respertive parts plainly demonstrates much proficiency upon the part of the instructor.

While each one rendered their part well, we especially wish to mention little Miss Bessie Pritchard, who delighted so much the entire audience by her high class singing. That she has one of the finest voices in this section of the county was declared by all, and with proper iraining will in time gain lofty attainments.

Will Move to Town

We are glad to learn that our most efficient and worthy tax assessor, J. D. Thomas, will soon move to town, He has purchased the splendid residence property formerly owned by Dr. Wilkins, and will in a short time move with his family to town. He is doing this because it will enable him to be closer to his duties in the Tax Assessor's office.

Building Fine Home

O. F. Thomas who resides just three-puarters of a mile west of town, is building on his farm a fine ten-room two-story residence, which when completed will be among the very nicest homes in the county.

POULTRY IN THIS COUNTY

Aggregate Value is Possibly Twenty Thousand Dollars at the Present Time

The poultry industry of Collingsworth county is assuming large proportions and the hen is contributing her share towards lifting the mortgages and swelling the bank accounts of the farmers of this county. The Federal Census reports, which contain data gathered in the spring of 1910 show a total of 31497 fowls, valued at $11,170 on the farms of this county. The annual poultry production of 1909 was 66,961 head of fowls and 115,125 dozen eggs which had a combined value of $33,492, according to the report.

Poultry raising in Collingsworth county, when properly conducted can be made a most profitable investment. The conditions are ideal for breeding and raising chickens, ducks, turkeys and other species of domestic fowls and our climate makes expensive poultrs houses unnecessary.

There are 13,670,000 head of fowls on the farms of Texas and the annual poultry and egg production which is largely consumed at home is valued at $23,000,000 which probably twenty-five per cent of our products find its way to northern and eastern markets.

Buys More Land

W. W. Neeley of the Cicero Smith Lumber Co., informs us that he has purchased one acre more land adjacent to his residence property located on the north side. He has a nice location, and will soon have one of the nicest homes in the city.

Opening of the New Dry Goods Store

Saturday May 10th, 1913

We have just received a Through Car of Dry Goods, Hats, Shoes, Clothing and Furnishings for our new store on the East Side of the Square. This is the first through car load of Dry Goods ever shipped into Wellington, Texas, and it is the first absolutely new stock of Dry Goods ever opened in Wellington. Ely Walker Dry Goods Co. of St. Louis were the successful bidders for this opening stock, and we are glad to announce the E. & W. quality to our friends. The Ely Walker Dry Goods Co. own and operate the most modernly oquipped Wholesale and Factory plants in the United States and therefore were in better position to make the prices.

It shall be our policy in the future as it has under our management in the past, to give our customers the benefit of every saving in our BUY, as under such treatment alone may we expect a continuation of your patronage.

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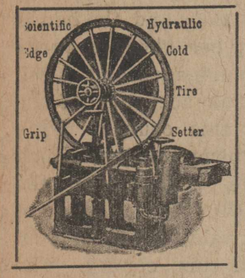
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At ROLLA Tuesday and Wednesday May 13 and 14 at 8 p. m.
At LILLIE on Thursday and Friday May 15 and 16 at 8 p. m.
At LAKE CREEK Saturday & Sunday May 17 and 18 at 8 p. m.
At ABERDEEN Monday and Tuesday May 19 and 20 at 8 p. m.
At ARLIE Wednesday and Thursday May 21 and 22 at 8 p. m.
At DODSONVILLE Friday & Saturday May 23 and 24 at 8 p. m.
At WELLINGTON Sunday & Monday May 25 and 26 at 8 p. m.

All Sunday school worker are especially invited, as these Rally are planned for the betterment of our Sunday school work. The meeting will include two night services and one entire day service at each place.

The Programme for Each Place:

8:00 p. m.—The Sunday School Normrl training course, it's meaning and importance ..... A. L. Duncan.
10:00 a. m.—Relation of the Sunday School to the Church ..... G. W. Ellis
10:30 a. m.—The Church Member's obligation to the Sunday School ..... R. S. Garrard
11:00 a. m.—Sermon. Missions in Sunday Schools .. J. W. Hembree
2:00 p. m.—The Qualifications of a Sunday School Superintendent ..... W. R. Perry
2:30 p. m.—The Teacher, The Pinatal Factor in the Sunday School Organization ..... W. M. Tucker
3:00 p. m.—How to maintain a mens class ..... Rev. Sivally
3:30 p. m.—The Pastor in the Sunday School ..... Rev. Simpson
4:00 p. m.—Sunday School song service ..... Joe M. Jones
8:30 p. m.—Sermon on Soul Winning ..... R. B. Morgan

Aberdeen Notes

Uncle Billie Brown who has been very sick is much improved in health.

John Hodge marketed 16 gallons of cream in Texola last Saturday.

Little Mittie Ammons, who has been very ill for two months is able to be out again we are glad to state.

A. J. Laycock and family visited at the Tom Wall home this week.

The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs had a grand anniversary celebration at this point on last Saturday. The District Grand Deputy was present and made a very interesting address on the workings of Oddfellowship. A. C. Boyett and Squire Walker of Wellington were present and spoke eloquently on the merits of this great order. A feast was spread by the ladies and was much enjoyed by all. Visitors from Shamrock, Wellington, Dodsosville and other points were present. Altogather it was a memorable occasion.

Our base ball boys played a very good game on last Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Frances Northum has been confined to her room for some days but we are glad to note she is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wall visited home folk and took in the Odd Fellows celebration last week.

Mrs. Sam Sherwood and family have sold their ranch and moved to Wellington.

Ruben Rountree and Misses Ester and Zanie, visited friends here over Sunday.

The Aberdeen school closed a very successful term on last Saturday night by giving an excellent program. The house was crowded and the best of order prevailed. The meeting was called to order by W. H. Pugh and the question of organizing a Literary Society was taken up and unanimously carried. It was decided to meet on every Saturday night. W. E. Johnson was elected president; W. H. Pugh, Vice; Miss Ila Gully Sec., and Misses Mamie Laughlin, May Gregory and Jessie Barnes a program committee. The music by the string band of seven instruments and Mrs. Carl Wall at the organ to accompany, was most excellent and enjoyed by every one present. Mrs. Rozar took charge of the program and the following selections were much enjoyed. "School Prophesy" Miss Ila Gully; recitations by Misses Marie Wall, Verna Johnson, Mary Gregory; and Miss Mary Barnes in her darkey piece took down the house. Next was the debate on the question, Resolved that women should have equal sufferage with men. Affirmative Chester Aldrich, Will Crow and Mrs. Rozar. Negative: Mr. Bell Miss Loretta Atkinson and Morgan Tucker. These debaters did certainly argue the question and the judges, J. T. Muse, J. M. Pendley and Edw. O'Connell, awarded the victory to the negative. Mrs. W. H. Pugh baked and decorated a delicious cake for those who took part in the entertainment of the evening and it was cut and thoroughly enjoyed by all of them. Every body is cordiall invited to attend the literary and to take part in the programs.

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Congressman John H. Stephens has honorable mention as a prospective candidate for gubernatorial honors. As to whether he has aspirations in that direction, is not known, but should it turn out that he has, and will enter the contest, then we will know to a man how many men there are in this great big district who are of congressional size, and who would like to step into John H's shoes. It would require a stick or two of type to enroll their names.—Wichita Times.

From Our Newspaper Friends

Editor Durham, of the Wellington Leader, has been appointed postmaster of his town. He is a fine fellow, and will make Wellington an efficient servant of Uncle Sam. Shake.—Chillicothe Valley News.

Editor Haskett of Childress, Editor Durham of Wellington and Editor Townsend of Mangum have received the endorsement of their congressmen for postmaster. This is nothing more than these faithful fellows deserve.—Hollis Post-Herald

Panhandle newspaper men seem to be right in the thick of things now. Tom Durham has been recommended for the postoffice at Wellington, Editor Haskett of Childress for the position there and Miss Hamner for the Claude postoffice, by Representative John H. Stephens.—Hall County Herald.

Thomas Durham, a former editor of the Times, but for several years editor of the Wellington Leader, has been appointed postmaster at Wellington. This pays a good salary and there were a number of applicants, hence the appointment is a distinct compliment.—Munday Times.

We congratulate our newpaper friends—Miss Hamner of the Claude News, Mr. Haskett, Childress Index, Mr. Durham Wellington Leader—on the fact that they were on the spot with a good size receptacle at the exact moment the Postoffice Plum tree was shook. It must make ordinary people envirous the way us newspaper folks walk off with everything we want.—Clarendon News.

Editor Thomas Durham of the Wellington Leader has been appointed postmaster at Wellington. Editor Durham is a young man of exceptional ability and energy. Congressman Stephens knows this, and desiring to secure the best man for the place, just handed Durham the plum. Another Democrat made happy. —Wichita Search Light.

Lost—White bull bitch, left side of face brindle, right ear brindle. Bring to Mims Blacksmith shop and receive reward.

Literary and Civic Club Notes.

The Literary and Civic Club met with Mrs. Fred Laderer on Friday, April 18th, and the following members answered to roll call by naming some prominent artist: Mesdames Scott, Davis, Orr, Laderer, Stone, Mooney, Wells, Templeton, Benge, Joyner, Blain, Howell, O'Connell and Miss McDaniel.

In the absence of our President our Vice, Mrs. Jas. Mooney, presided in a very gracious way. It was decided that we give a picnic in honor of the graduating class of the High School and next Wednesday evening was the time decided on. Our social committee has the matte in hand and as they cannot be surpassed in their ability to arrange things we are sure to have a good time.

Our program was very fine and Miss McDaniel acted as Leader in the absence of Mrs. Greenhaw.

Our hostess served delicious ice cream and cake in her own pleasant way and we were all reluctant to leave this homey home.

The name of Mrs. Walter Campbell was presented for membership to be voted on at our next meeting which will be with Mrs. C. E. Stone.

Press Reporter.

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Returns From Presbytery.

Amarillo Presbytery of the Cumberland Presbyterian church has just completed its spring session at Quanah, both business and devotional services were very sweet and spiritual having the hearty co-operation of other churches made us enjoy the fellowship which should exist between His followers, and should be manifested before the world.

Cordially,
L. M. Small.

B. Y. P. U. Program

The Law of Increase and Decrease.
Leader—Ralh Royal
The law a just one.—Joe Jones.
The Law in its Workings—Ruby Dukeminier.
Song
The Law of Increase and decrease—Geo. W. Ellis.
Piano Solo—Vern Thomas
What Jesus says about this Law concerning Himself and Us. —Mrs. Gorden Neece.
Song—Take My Life. No 161
Business and benediction.
Come and bring some one with you.

G. W. Ellis, Pres.

Card of Thanks

We sincerely desire to thank our many friends for their kind sympathy and help at the death of our dear husband and father which was so sudden. May God's richest blessings be with you all is our earnest prayer.
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House Log Items

Well as I was so busy last week I didn't get to write the news, So will try and tell what I know now.

Most every one enjoyed the nice rain last week except those who were out and got sprinkled.

Quite a number of people attended our Literary Saturday night. Glad to see so many out. The music furnished by Joe Self and Mr. Rogers, was very nice and was enjoyed by all.

A number of young people from Quail and the city took dinner at the home of Mrs. W. N. Benson last Sunday week.

A nice singing was enjoyed by the young people of this community at the home of Mr. Duke's Sunday night.

Arch Mefford and wife of Aberdeen spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. Fred Wyly.

Listen! Another box supper at House Log Saturday night May 10th. All you boys who are so fond of good eating come and don't forget your "pocket book." We need more money to finish painting our school house, build a stage and also to buy a chair for our honorable President, Clem Maples.

Mr. Winters and family visited at the home of Mr. Duke's Sunday.

Miss Ora Trimble spent the past week with her aunt, Mrs. R. E. Trimble, whos husband died last Saturday.

Misses Oma Lee Hunter and Hollie Trimble were guests of Misses Mary and Cora Smith Sunday.

Jesse Winters and wife have moven back from Childress.

Hubert Maples and wife visited Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Sanders Sunday.

Our Sunday school is progressing nicely.

Will write again if I don't get my specks broke. BETSY

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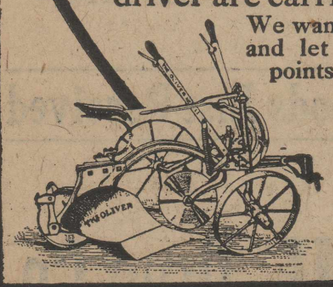
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Call Pritchard Grocery, phone 15, for your groceries.

M. P. Watkins was a business visitor to Mangum this week.

Trade at Russell's and get the best and freshest goods. Phone 166.

One good second hand range stove for sale. See D. W. Jones at home.

Good Colorado coal $8.00 per ton. Where? At J. L. Brooks Coal Co.

Mrs. Norton of Mangum, is the guest of Mrs. C. E. Stone this week.

W. M. Biffie a prominent citizen from the north side was here this week.

Mrs. Oscar Smith and boys are visiting relatives in Olustee, this week.

Judge M. M. Miller of Wheeler was a pleasant visitor to this city last Friday.

Albatross Flour at Russell's Grocery, the best on earth, try a sack. Phone 166.

J. A. Collins was in the city one day this week from his home on the north side.

Judge P. W. Myers and wife left this week for a visit to relatices at Texhoma.

We will buy your produce at the best market price. The Leader Gorcery Co.

M. E. Martin and C. J. Mobley have our thanks for subscriptions to the Leader.

Do you intend painting your house soon? See Davis at Cicero Smith Lumber Co., about it.

Fine registered Jersey Bull at O. K. Wagon Yard. Service fee cheep enough. J. C. Skaggs.

For Sale—One good horse, cash or good note.
S. V. Pritchard.

Mr. Farmer, let us put in your home that much needed telephone. Wellington Telepone Co.

Bring your poultry and eggs to Russell's Grocery and get the highest market price. Phone 166.

W. S. Burgess and wife of the Quail community, were shopping in the city one day this week.

Ed. C. Smith one of the best fixed stock farmers in this section, was in the city one day this week.

Safeguarding Depositors

AS an evidence of the policy of The City National Bank to constantly increase its strength and to add to the safeguarding of depositors, the fact may be mentioned that instead of distributing among the stockholders the entire earnings of the bank, a substantial amount has been left at the end of each business year to Surplus and Profits account until we have now built up this account to the approximate amount of $35,000, which, in addition to the $50,000 capital already paid in, make a total of $85,000 of working capital.

Under Supervision Of The United States Government

The City National Bank

Capital, Surplus & Earnings	$85,000.00
Shareholders Additional Liability	$50,000.00
Total	$135,000.00

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J. M. SHIELDS, Manager.

Bring your butter, eggs and chickens to the Leader Grocery Co.

How about post and wire for that fence you intend building? See Davis at Cicero Smith's about it.

F. Gilbreth, one of the splendid farmers of the Saltfork community, was here yesterday on business.

Go to Russells to get your next bill of groceries and you will get your money's worth. Phone 166.

D. B. Thompson, J. A. Coffee and J. T. Muse, popular Aberdeen citizens was here yesterday on business.

Herbert Dysart returned last Saturday from Dallas, where he took the Knight Templar degree in Masonary.

Judge R. H. Templeton is in Amarillo again this week having business before the court of civil appeals.

Try Russells Grocery for your next bill of groceries or your next month groceries and you will be pleased. Phone 166.

The City Meat Market will sell you a coupon book in sizes from $2.50 to $20.00 at 10 per cent discount for cash.

Don't pay $7.50 for slackey Mexico coal when you can get a good clean Colorado coal at Singley Bros. at $7.00.

It will pay to plant a few of Simpkins Prolific cotton seed. Only a limited amount left at the Leader Grocery Co.

L. H. Stall returned last week from a trip to market where he purchased a large and complete stock of dry goods.

Don't forget that you can get the highest market price for your poultry and eggs at Russell's grocery. Phone 166.

The City Meat Market is over stocked with pure hog lard and will sell same in fifty pound lots or over, at ten cents per pound.

Mrs. Sims and daughters, Mesdames Witherspoon and Mitchell, of Childress, visited Mrs. J. M, Strong of this city last week.

T. M. Stansell returned last week from a visit to his son at Roswell, New Mexico. He reports everything fine in that country and the people prosperous.

We can build rural lines and sell them to the farmer as cheap as he can buy the material to build them with. Let us show you. Wellington Telephone Co.

Window glass all sizes, at Shambergers.

What have you to trade for 2 business lots on corner in Dodsonville one block from depot. Jas Bradshaw. Care of Railway Agent, Wellington, Texas.

All kinds of coal at P. M. Shields & Co. Phone 72.

A. C. Boyett, W. S. White, W. L. O'Rear, W. W. Carter, accompanied by their pastor, Rev. J. E. Eldridge, left Thursday for Hedley to attend District Conference.

See J. L. Brooks for Panhandle Improved Early Cotton seed.

We are very thankful to J. G. Roberts of the Fresno community for the renewal of his subscription to the Leader for another year.

Call Pritchard Grocery, phone 15 for your groceries.

This is the year of great rural telephone development for Collingsworth county. No matter how far away you live, we can put you on our lines. Wellington Telephone Co.

We are pleased to have a card from our good friend and fellow citizen, B. Beach, who states that he is at Corpus Christi and is enjoying the pleasant climate of that coast city.

Call Pritchard Grocery, phone 15 for your groceries.

A good many are buying the Simpkins cotten seed because they see the advantage of planting the best seed they can procure. It pays. For sale at the Leader Grocery Co.

For the best screen doors, call at Shamburgers.

Nice awnings have been built this week in front of the State Bank and Thomas & Wells furniture store which adds much to the already nice appearance of these handsome buildings.

We are in receipt of a letter from our former fellow townsman, C. P. Huffman, who had been for the past few months at Bowie, Texas, asking us to change the address of his paper to Wichita Falls, and we suppose that he and family have moved to the Latter city.

A Pleasant Outing

On last Saturday A. C. Boyt D. D. G. M. of Collingsworth county I. O. O. F.'s and Hon. W. A. Walker were especially invited to attend the subordinant and Rebecca Lodge of Aberdeen it being the anniversary day of Odd Fellowship and on our arrival about 4 p. m. were met by Bros. Hall, Hopking, Graves and others and were ushered up to the lodge room and called on to deliver addresses to a well filled hall of ladies and gentlemen. Then we were invited to partake with them of a most delicious supper and to say we enjoyed the fraternal spirit and splendid refreshments would be putting it mild indeed. After supper, it being the regular lodge night, we were again called back to the hall. Regular business was transacted and Mr. Boyt was called on and made a fine talk on Odd Fellowship and good of the order. We were then taken in charge by Bro. John Coffee and spent the remainder of the night in his splendid home.

W. A. Walker.

New Auto Service

We are pleased to announce to our friends and the public, that we are now prepared to give you the very best of auto transfer service, having recently purchased an excellent new five-passenger Ford. This car is stationed at our livery barn and is ready for service at all times.

Richardson & Son.

New Oil Company Manager

I have assumed the management of the Pierce.Fordyce Oil Company's business in Wellington and will certainly appreciate a share of your business in this line. Prompt service and a square deal for all.

Jack Bevers.

To Be Operated On

J. B. Rhodes accompanied by his wife, left Thursday for Fort Worth where the former expects ot undergo an operation for appendicitis.

G. D. Toland for a number of years a splendid citizen of this vicinity, has sold his interests here and left this week for Longs, New Mexico, where he and family will reside in the future. He is an excellent gentleman and we join his many friends in wishing him and family much success.

To My Friends

I take this method of notifying my friends and former patrons in the grocery line, that I am now with the Pritchard Grocery Co., and will have charge of one of the delivery wagons for this firm. It will be my pleasure to continue to serve all my old friends, also would appreciate any new business tendered the firm through me. Thanking one and all, I remain,

Gene Moore.

Another Nice Home

We are informed that Dr. J. H. Loving has purchased lots on the north-east corner of the block he now resides, and is preparing to erect thereon a nice new home.

Eggs for Hatching

Strictly pure bred Barred Plymouth Rocks $1.00 per 15 $5.00 per 100.

E. L. Tarpley,
Wellington, Texas.

Business Locals

Window glass, all sizes at Shambergers.

See J. L. Brooks for Panhandle Improved Early Cotton seed.

Good Colorado coal $8.00 per ton. Where? At J. L. Brooks Coal Co.

One good second hand Cornice parlor organ for sale or trade. See D. W. Jones at home.

Remember you can get the highest cash price for your poultry and eggs at Russell's grocery. Phone 166.

If there is money in the Insurance business patronize your county association and get the profit your self. They can insure your crops against hail and your property from loss by fire and cyclone.

FOR SALE—I have plenty of the big German Millet seed for sale. Nice and clean from all Johnson Grass, etc. You will find it on sale at Howell & Adams or Pritchard Gro. Co. J. C. Asher, Plymouth, Texas.

To the people of Collingsworth county, we have organized a Fire and Cyclone Association and if you need insurance investigate this. If there is any money in the insurance business patronize your home people and get the profit your self.

What You Eat

is an important question to be considered. It matters not whether you eat to live, or live to eat, the things you eat should be good. The grocer who sells an inferior quality of goods is not working to the best interest of his customers, but his profit is given first consideration. While we like to make (and do) a reasonable profit on our goods, yet that is not our sole ambition. We want satisfied customers and the only way to gain them, is selling the best goods at a reasonable margin of profit, coupled with fair and courteous treatment.

Make our store your trading place.

The Leader Grocery Co.

SEED FOR SALE—Hand shelled Feterita, maize, kafir, millet alfalfa and corn. P. M. Shields & Co.

Go to the old postoffice Confectionery for cold drinks and fine candies.

Good selected, hand shelled corn only 85c per bushel at Bounds' Feed Store.

For an assortment of seed corn, adapted to this country, call on Singley Bros.

Singley Bros. have lots of Nigger Head coal.

C. McKnight, one of the best fixed farmers in this county was here one day this week. He has been carrying a poultry advertisement in the Leader for some time and declares that he has had fine results from the same, and can heartily reccommend the Leader as a splendid advertising medium.

If you want Hail Insurance don't forget we have a county association that will insure your crops against hail. Wait for our solicitor, he will be around to see you. This plan will bare your investigation.

A Prosperous Farmer

Our friend J. B. Rhodes who resides only a short distance south of town, and who owns one of the best farms in this section, was in the city one day last week, and while here we learned from him that he had just sold a car load of last years maize at $10.50 per ton.

As a rule, our friend Rhodes declines to give us the full details concerning his crops production (at least while the July hot winds are blowing) but at this particular time he seemed to be in an extra good humor, and after quizzing him for some time, we learned that he had actually been selling all along since early last fall, and still some of his graineries were yet full near unto the top.

Right here we wish to call to the minds of our readers a little controversy we had last summer with J. B., along about the time those hot winds "seemed to be destroying" all the feed, when we offered to put up the "cold" dainks to Mr. Rhodes that when the season was over his graineries would be filled to overflowing and his bank account would be on the right side of the ledger. After Mr. Rhodes had unthoughtedly given us the above information, we asked him how about the bank account? Then it was he saw we had him, and he said, we'll go to the two banks through which he did business and see. But we had him again and proved it by witnesses, that any man who had so much money that it took two banks to keep it safely, was bound to be making money, and J. B. came across with a cold one.

Support the educational institutions and pay the school tax without knocking. Educate your people and attract the educated. A trained mind is the world's greatest force.

Wellington Mill for Sale

For Sale—I have decided to give my entire attention to the feed business, so now offer the Wellington Mill for sale. It is a good business and it will pay you to see me at once.

R. L. Bounds.

Notice to the Public

I warn you to not hire or make any trades with my son, Pat Beck, without my consent.

Dr. Ed Beck

Salt Fork Siftings

Well Mr. Editor here comes Salt Fork Sifting again after so long a time.

People are very industrous in Salt Fork neighborhood.

Quite a number of visitors attended Salt Fork services Sunday morning.

Misses Lola Messick, Ethel Daniel, Nettie Messick and Odie Daniel visited Miss Nellie Tucker Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Selby of Marilla is spending the week with her sister-in-law.

Opal Wilson was on the sick list first of the week.

Mr. Lawson and wife visited at C. W. Gollihugh's Sunday.

School is progressing fine.

Layman's meeting will be held at Sal Fork Saturday April 19th with dinner on the ground.

Misses Lizzie and Nannie Baker visited Misses Allie and Hattie Gollihugh Sunday.

Some of the farmers are planting some cotton this week.

Ethel McFadden and Annie Painter visited Elsie and Opal Wilson Sunday evening.

W. B. Wilson has gone to attend the bed side of his brother-n-law who is not expected to live.

J. C. Worley and family are on their way to their new home in New Mexico. The Salt Fork people wish them happiness in their new home and country.

Mrs. Ida Brown was among the number who had visitors Sunday.

C. W. Gollihugh is hauling clay and scattering it over his yard.

John Aaron Jr., was over in this part of the neighborhood this week.

Rev. J. S. Aaron didn't fill his regular appointment here Sunday. He visited his brother who has been real sick.

Henry Brown and wife were visiting on this side of the river last Sunday.

Ed Tarpley and wife visited Mr. Tucker last Sunday.

Mr. Dannels' son is sick again.

C. W. Gollihugh and family visited F. Gilbreth last Saturday.

Tom Rinard, N. I. Biffle, Elmer Painter took dinner at C. W. Gollihugh's Wednesday.

Mrs. Minnie Jones is past walking with a sprained ankle.

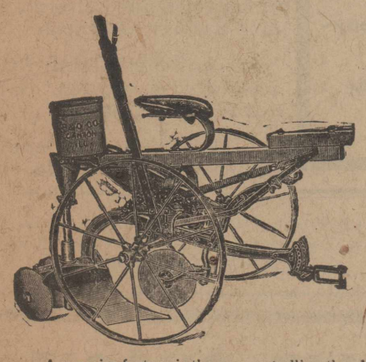
Miss Willie Sherril wss visiting in this community last week.

I guess I had better ring off. I will write more next time.

"Cy"

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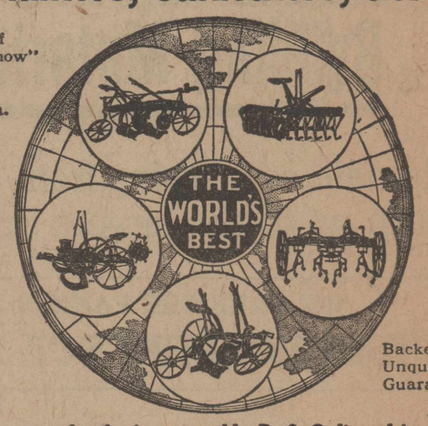
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Capital Paid In - -	$50,000
Surplus and Profit - -	20,000
Stockholders Responsibility	50,000
Total - - -	$120.000

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JIM MOORE, Mgr

From Mexico

Des Moines, N. M.
April 24, 1913.

The Wellington Leader,
Wellington, Texas.

To my many friends and acquaintances I take this opportunity to write you for I have not the time at present to address a seperate message to each of you and will be glad to get a letter from any or all of you.

We arrived in Des Moines on Saturday morning April 12th, which was a balmy spring morning, was met by my brother, Wess, and went to his home some 13 miles southeast of Desmoines. On the following day, Sunday, we met and formed the acquaintance of several very sociable people.

There has been five days of fine weather and several days of misty to steady rainy weather intersperced with snow which has given us a fine deep season begin a spring crop. Oat planting and sod breaking seems to be the order of the day. There has been some corn planted.

Our health is very good except colds.

The horses and mules we shipped out here are doing well.

I will close by wishing you, the Leader and good old Collingsworth the best of successs.

J. C. Worley.

Lost—White bull bitch, left side of face brindle, right ear brindle. Bring to Mims Blacksmith shop and receive reward.

Cottonwood Locals

Every thing is very busy around Cottonwood lately. Those who have not planted their crops are busy doing so.

A number of our young people attended Sunday school at Lilly Sunday morning and singing at Salt Fork in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs, Shahan spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McAdams.

Geo. Hawkins had business west of here last Wednesday.

A crowd of young people from here went kodaking over about Aberdeen Saturday. Quite an enjoyable time was reported.

We are very sorry to learn that Mrs. Earnest Estes is very sick again.

Rev. John Anderson preaches at Cottonwood school house the first Sunday afternoon in each month, and Rev. Honeycut the second Sunday. Let every one come out and enjoy some fine sermons.

Notice to Hunters

No hunting or shooting of any kind allowed on land owned or controlled by the undersigned. Now we are determined to keep out everybody. Yes, this means you. We will prosecute all trespassers.

J. E. Beggs.
A. and O. Buerger

The Templetons have been in the abstract business in Collingsworth county longer than any who follows the business.

Abe Lincoln Said

"You can fool all of the people some times; some of the people all the time, but you can't fool all of the people all the time."

—EVERY result must have an adequate cause, and when we consider the substantial growth of our business since beginning a few months ago we must immediately assume that **THERE'S A CAUSE** and that it is because our methods of quick sales and small profits pleases our customers and saves them money. Yours, for honest goods at honest prices.

We are not engaged in any fooling business, just selling GROCERIES at a Low margin of Profit.

Pritchard Grocery Company

West Side Square

We Are Here Yet

Who?

J. L. Brooks Grain and Coal Co. with a good line of Feed and Coal at right prices. Try us and be convinced.

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Best of Repairing. Boots and Shoes made to measure, guaranteeing a fit

REPAIR PRICES:—Mens Shoes 75c; Ladies 60c; Chilnren 50c

STEWART & BECK, Proprietors.

Bring your home raised meat also chickens and eggs to the Pritchard Gro. Co.

Come in and see the new cotton seed, Simpkins Prolific, at The Leader Gro. Co.

Lilly News

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Phillips, who has been on the sick list, is up again.

Mrs. M. G. Peeples from near Wellington visited her haughter Mrs. John Anderson, Tuesday.

Jim White had business here Wednesday.

Several of our young people attended church at Cottonwood Sunday afternoon.

We are glad to hear that Mr. Tucker is up again after a weeks illnesss.

Misses Ethel Brewer and Minnie Lee visited Miss Della Tucker, Sunday.

Edgar Phillips is sick this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones visited with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gollihugh Sunday.

A number of the poung people of Lilly attended church at Saltfork Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson visited with Glover Haralston and family Sunday.

J. M. Williams and family had business is Wellington, Friday.

Good selected, hand shelled corn only 85c per bushel at Bounds' Feed Store.

VELIE EASY RIDING & STUDEBAKER BUGGIES

Hardware and All Kinds Farming Implements

WE MAKE GOOD

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Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the State of Texas

To Be Voted Upon at An Election to Be Held Saturday July 19th, 1913

Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution Authorizing the issuance of Bonds for the Purpose of Construction of the Necessary Buildings for the University of Texas and Also for Building of Various Institutions, and Authorizing Improvement Bonds for the Purpose of Navigation, Irrigation, Construction of Bridges and the Maintenance and Operation of Public Warehouses.

(S.J.R.No.18) Senate Joint Resolution

To be entitled A Joint Resolution proposing and submitting to a vote of the people of Texas an amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds and the leveying of a tax to pay the interest and the sinking fund on same for public improvements.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows, to-wit:

SECTION 49. No debt shall be created by or on behalf of the State except to supply casual deficiencies of revenue, repel invasion, suppress insurrection and defend the State in war or pay existing debts, and no debt created to supply deficiencies in current revenues shall ever exceed in the aggregate at any one time 500,000 dollars. The Legislature, however, shall have power to authorize the issuance of bonds to be approved by the Governor for the purpose of purchasing additional grounds and erect necessary buildings for the University of Texas, including a medical department, an Agricultural and Mechanical College and all departments and activities of a complete university of the first class. The revenue received from the permanent University fund shall be available for the payment of interest on these bonds and for the creation of a sinking fund for their redemption at maturity and the Legislature shall also have power to issue bonds for the construction of necessary biuldings for State institutions. The Legislature shall aslo have the power to authorize the issuance of bonds secured by lien on the real property of the penitentiary system to be approved by the Governor for the purpose of constructing buildings and making permanent improvements.

SECTION 52. The Legislature shall have no power to authorize any county, city, town or other political corporation or subdivision of the State to lend its credit or to grant public money or thing of value in aid of or to any individual association or corporation whatsoever or to become a stockholder in such corporation, association or company; provided, however, that under LEGISLATURE provisions any county, any political subdivision of a county, any number of adjoining counties or any political subdivision of the State or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas and which may or may not include towns, villages or municipal corporation upon a vote of a majority of the resident property taxpayery voting thereon who are qualified electors of such district or territory to be effected thereby in addition to all other debts may issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of such district or territory, except in case of imrovement of rivers, creeks, and streams, in building of levees to prevent overflows, in which case the bonded indebtedness may be for an amount not to exceed one-half of the assessed valuation of the lands of the district to be reclaimed; and, except, further, that the total bonded indebtedness of any city or town shall never exceed the limits imposed by other provisions of this Constitution, and levy and collect such taxes to pay the interest thereon and provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof as the legislature may authorize and in such manner as it may authorize the same for the following purposes, to-wit:

(a) The improvement of rivers, creeks and streams to prevent overflows, and to permit of navigation thereof or irrigation therefrom or in aid of such purposes.

(b) The construction and maintenance of pools, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals and waterways for the purpose of irrigation, drainage or navigation or in aid thereof.

(c) The construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and macadamized, graveled, sandy clay, or clayed sand or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof.

(d) The construction, maintenance and operation of public warehouses or in aid thereof.

SEC. 2. The foregoing amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution of Texas shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for adoption or rejection at aspecial election hereby ordered for the third Saturday in July, 1913, the same being the nineteenth day of said month. All voterson this proposed amendment at said election who favor its aboption shall have printed or written on their ballots the following:

For amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for the University

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Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution Prescribing Qualications for District Judges of this State and Prescribing their Tenure of Office.

(S.J.R.No.11) A Joint Resolution.

Amending Section 7, Article 5, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to the creation and formation of judicial districts, the terms of compensation and qualification oft he judges of the district courts, and the times of holding court.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That Section 7, Article 5, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

SECTION 7. The State shall be divided into as many judicial districts as may now or hereafter be provided by law, which may be increased or diminished by law. For each district there shall be elected by the qualified voters thereof, at a general election, one or more judges each of whom shall be a citizen of the United States and of this State, who shall have been a practicing lawyer of this State, or a judge of a court in this State for six years next preceding his election; who shall have resided in the district in which he was elected for two years next preceding his election; who shall reside in his district during his term of office; who shall hold his offie for a period of four year, and shall receive for his services an annual salary of three thousand dollars, until otherwise changed by law. Court shall be held by a district judge at the county seat in each of the several counties at such times and in such manner as may be prescribed by law. The Legislature shall provide for the holding of the district court when the judges thereof is absent, disabled or disqualified from acting. The district judges who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment.

SEC. 2 The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at an election to be held on the 19th day of July, 1913, at which election all voters favoring this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For the amendment of Section 7, Article 5, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to district judges and district courts," and all voters opposed to said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words; "Against the amendment of Section 7, Article 5, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to district judges and district courts."

SEC. 3 The sum of five thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated to pay expenses for carrying out the provisions of this resolution.

JOHN L. WORTHAM,
Secretary of State.
(A true Copy)

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of this State Authorizing the issuance of Bonds for Improvement Districts, and also for the operating of Public Warehouses for Storing, Handling, Classing, Measuring, Weighing, Elevating and Loading Agricultural Products.

(S.J.R. No.4) Joint Resolution)

A joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Section 52, of Article 3, of the Constitution of this State:

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the Sate of Texas, that Section 52 of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

SECTION 52. The Legislature shall have no power to authorize any county, city, town or other political corporation or subdivision of the State, to lend its credit or to grant public money or thing of value in aid of, or to any indilidual, association or corporation whatsoever, or to become a stockholder in such corporations, association or company, provided, however, that under legislative provision any county and political subdivision of a county, any number of adjoining counties, or any political subdivision of the State, or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, and which may or may not include towns, villages, or municipal corporations, upon a vote of a majority of the resident taxpayers voting thereon, who are qualified electors of such district or territory to be affected thereby, in addition to all other debts may issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of such district or territory, except that the total bonded indebtedness of any city or town shall never exceed the limits imposed by other provisions of this Constitution, and levy and collect taxes to pay the interest thereon, and provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof, as the Legislature may authorize, and in such manners as it may authorize the same, for the following purposes, to-wit:

(a) The improvement of rivers, creeks and streams to prevent overflows, and to permit of navigation thereof, or irrigation thereof, orin aid of such purposes.

(b) The construction and maintanance of pools, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals and waterways for the purpose of irrigation or in aid thereof.

(c) The construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or payed roads and turnpikes. or in aid thereof.

(d) The construction, maintenance and operation of public warehouses for storing, handling, classing, measuring, weighing, elevating and loading agricultural products. Provided the Legislature may establish such means and agencies as may be necessary for accomplishing the purpose of this amendment and if a State warehouse commission be provided for, ther term of office shall be fixed by the Legislature.

SEC. 2. The Governor is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for submitting this amendment to the Constitution to the qualified electors of the State of Texas on the third Saturday in July, same being the 19th day of said month, and the amendments proposed to Section 52 of Article 3, as above indicated, shall be voted upon separately.

Those favoring the amendment to authorize road or other public improvements by a majority vote, shall have written or printed on their ballot: For amendment to authorize road and other public improvements by a vote of a majority, and those opposed to said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballot: Against amendment to authorize road and other public improvements by a vote of a majority.

Those favoring the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses shall have written or printed on their ballot: For the amendment authorizing the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses for agricultural products. Those voting against said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballot: Against the amendment authorizing the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses for agricultural products.

SEC. 3. The sum of five thousand ($5,000) dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any fund in the Treasury of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expense of such publication, proclamation and election.

JOHN L. WORTHAM,
Secretary of State.
(A true Copy)

Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution Providing All State, District, County and Precinct Officers Within this State Shall be Compensated by the Payment of a Fixed Salary.

(H.J.R.No.41) A Joint Resolution.

Of the Legislature of the State of Texas, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State by adding to Article 16 thereof a new section to be known as Section 58, providing for the tenure and compensation of public officials.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That there be added to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas a new section to be known as Section 58, which shall read as follows:

SECTION 58. All State, district, county and prcinct officers within the State of Texas shall hereinafter be compensated by the payment of a salary to be fixed or provided for by the Legislature.

SEC. 2 The Governor of this State will, as directed by the Constitution, make publication of this proposed amendment in the manner and for the time as required by the Constitution, the amendment to be voted upon by the qualified electors for members of the Legislature of this State at the general election to be held for State officers on July 19, 1913, the returns of which shall, as provided for in the Constitution, be made to the Secretary of State, the result ascertained and proclamation made as provided for in Section 1, Article 17, of the Constitution. There shall be written or printed on the ballot to be used at such election "for the adoption of Section 58, Article 16, as an amendment to the Constitution, providing a salary compensation for certain officers and fixing term of office at four years;" and also "against the adoption of Section 58, Article 16, as an amendment to the Constitution for certain officers and fixing their term of office at four years;" and those favoring the adoption of said amendment shall erase the language "Against the adoption of Section 58, Article 16, as an amendment to the Constitution, providing a salary compensation for certain officers and fixing their term of office at four years," by running a pencil or pen through the same, and those opposing the adoption of said amendment shall erace the language "for the adoption of Section 58, Article 16, as an amendment to the Constitution, providing a salary compensation for certain officers and fixing their terms of office at four years," by running a pencil or pen through the same.

SEC. 3. The sum of five thousand ($5,000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of carrying out the provisions of this resolution.

JOHN L. WORTHAM,
Secretary of State.
(A true Copy)

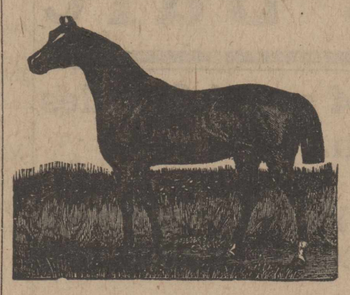
Joe, the Penrod Jack, will make the season at my place four miles north of Quail. Terms, $10.00 when colt is foaled or when mare is moved or traded. Special care in breeding but accidents not guaranteed.

H. E. Bell

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To Breeders of Fine Horses



CYCLONE

Record 1-4 mile 22 4-5, will make the following season from April 1st until July 10th at my home 10 miles north of Wellington on the John Winney place.

CYCLONE is a Blood Bay, 9 years old, 15 hands and 3 inches high, weight 1050 pounds. Sired by Veto, Lexington Thoroughbred, dam Red Bird, Arabian Brimmer. CYCLONE is a horse of great speed and action. Call and see him, it is worth your time even if you haven't any mares to breed.

Most all Southern people form an idea that these horses are of but little value without speed. That is a false idea, they are the finest drivers and most saleable horses in America.

BREEDING

CYCLONE: Sired by Veto, dam Red Bird; Veto sired by Flying Dutchman, dam Silver Sides; Red Bird, by Thundershower, dam Lady F.; Flying Dutchman, by Imported Great Tom, dam Lulu Enchanter; Silver Sides, by Sweepstakes, dam Salvator; Thundershower, by Robinson Crusoe, dam Goose Neck; Lady F. by Cyclone Davis, dam Maud Muller; Imported Great Tom, by Lord Thomas, dam Telley Do; Lulu Enchanter, by Whalebone, dam Norwegian Girl; Sweepstakes, by Headlight, dam Mollie McCarthia; Salvator, by Imp. Eclipse, dam Frankfort Queen; Robinson Crusoe, by Tornado, dam Lookaway; Goose Neck, by Roller Motion, dam Venus; Cyclone Davis, by Regulator, dam Lady Manoose; Maude Muller, by Breeze Fly, dam Lone Sis; Lord Thomas, by Orphan Boy, dam Sunflower; Telley Do, by Gold Digger, dam Maysville Belle; Whalebone, by Brigham Young, dam Roxy Ann; Norwegian Girl, by Gilroy, dam Lillie D.; Headlight, by Imp. Manchester, dam Destruction. We cannot produce the breeding of Mollie McCarthia; she was raised in California and shipped to Louisville, Ky., 1872, and ran Timbrook four miles for $30,000.00. Imp. Eclipse is by Vagabond, dam Irish Maid; Frankfort Queen, by Translator, dam Sister May; Tornado, by Walkaway, dam Gilt Edge. Flying Fox is by Imp. Great Tom, a half brother to Flying Dutchman, as you will see, the Grandsire of CYCLONE. Flying Fox sold for $195,000.00, more than three times as much as any otner horse ever sold for. Cyclone's ancestors were nearly all Derby winners

I, John L. Singleton, do hereby certify that the above statements are correct, and I fuithermore do believe that these two breeds of horses possess the best blood that flows through the veins of a horse.

Terms

$10.00 to insure colt to stand and suck; $4.00 for a single leap; $8.00 when mare shows to be in foal. All possible care will be taken to prevent accidents but will not be responsible should any occur. When mare is sold, traded or taken from the county, season becomes due, unless otherwise arranged with the owner of the horse.

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We have Just Received shipments of New Dress Goods in which were Beautiful Egyptian Tissues at 25c, and Ribbon Voiles at 35c. Let us show you.

We are headquarters for the celebrated "King-B" Hats for Ladies, of which we will have a large shipment within the next few days. Give us a chance to serve you.

The Famous Mercantile Co.

We're Moving Along

The Hardy-O'Neil Drug Company this week transfered their stock of goods from their old stand in the S. V. Pritchard building into the new building just completed for tnem by contractor Glass. The immense growth of business that this firm has enjoyed under the present ownership has made it imperative that they have more spacious quarters. The new building has more floor space than any other building on the square. The front is finished in tile and marble and has two plate windows whose depth is twelve feet each. The rear of the building is provided with two excellently lighted and ventilated doctor's apartment in connection with which there is a comfortable waiting room.

The facilities for handling the refreshment trade of which they make a specialty during season is unsurpassed. They have installed their own electric carbonator, iceless cooler and many other new fountain apparatuses. The cream parlor is being equipped within a lovely grape vine bower which is provided with electric lights almost hidden beneath the green foliage. The tables are also provided with electric fans.

Taking every thing into consideration this business firm is prepared to exhibit a stock of goods and handle a trade as large and as discriminating as any drug store in this section of Texas.

The Hardy-O'Neil Drug Company are not the only enterprising business firm in Wellington. When you review the things that have been achieved within the past year by all the merchants toward building a modern business section for the town and promoting a better trade you must concede it a wonderful development. There is scarcely a firm doing business in our town but has made some material progress along this line during that time.

Our new rural telephone boxes have just arrived and are going like hot cakes. Have one placed in your home now. Wellington Telephone Co.

For Sale—A good horse and buggy, as I do not need them. Those interested can take the horse and try him. See R. H. Templeton.

Public Sale

At the Camp Farm 4 and 1-2 miles South of Wellington.

On Saturday May 10th, beginning at 1:30 p. m., we will sell at Public out cry the following:

1 Span of work Mules
1 Mare
2 Fillies, 1 and 2 years old.
2 three year old Mules
2 two year old mules
3 Cows and their Calves
1 two-year-old Heifer
2 Yearlings
1 Wagon, also Harness
1 Buggy and Harness
A general Mixture of Farm Implements.
Some Corn and several tons of Maize
Some baled Oats.

TERMS OF SALE---CASH

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Senior League Program

Subject, The Sympathy of Jesus.
Reference, John xi: 31-36; Mark vi: 30-46.
Leader—Frances Sommerville
Song
Prayer (Lord's Prayer in concert.)
Sympathy is trustworthy and consoling.—Laura Kelly.
The forethotughtfulness and intellectual quality of sympathy.—Mrs. Hudson.
The immediate result.—Claude McDaniel
The secret of compassion and prayer of sympathy—A. E. Brady.
Song
Benediction
Meeting hour is 3:00 p. m.

Junior Endeavor

Subject—Gideon and his brave three hundred.
Song
Prayer
Scripture reading, Judges 6.
Recitation—Katy Sledge.
Song—Bessie Pritchard.
Recitation—Ola May Howard.
Bible story—Mrs. Higgins.
Leader—Florence Powers.

At Christian Church

Lord's Day services; Sunday school 10:00 a. m. preaching and communion 11:00 a. m., preaching 8:00 p. m., prayer services Wednesday 8:00 p. m. You are cordially invited to attend all of these services.

W. B. Higgins

Notice

Census trustees who have not received supplies for taking the census will please call at once at my office and get same, or notify me that I may send them to you. The censns must be taken this month and returned to my office by the first day of June.

Please see that there are no scholastics overlooked.

R. H. Cocke, Jr.
County Judge

B. W. M. U. Program

For all day meeting at Hedley Texas, May 13, 1913.
10:30 a. m. call to order.
Devotional exercise—Mrs. Carrie Jones, Wellington.
Address of Welcome—Mrs. J. G. McDougle, Hedley.
Response—Mrs. C. H. Mason, Clarendon.
Appointment of enrollment committee.
Foreign Missions—Mrs, E. G. Welch, Memphis.
Prayer
Song

NOON

1:30 Prayer and Praise service.—Mrs. Geo. M. Bugbee, Clarendon.
Roll call of each organization of auxiliary with report from same.
Report from Vice President of work done in her county.
Round table
Song
Our work in Cuba.—Mrs. J. M. Johnson, Estelline.
Mountain schools.—Mrs. J. W. Allmond, Childress.
Minutes of last meeting
Business
Place of next meeting.
Song
Dismissal prayer.



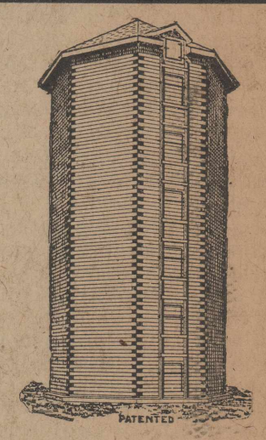
CARLO, German Coach Horse,

On account of the City Council refusing to allow the keeping of this horse at the old stand, near the square in Wellington, I will keep him at my farm, two miles west.

$10 to insure, money due when colt is foaled, or mare sold, traded or moved out of the county.

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